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**Mail Stop Amendment**

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☒ **No Additional Fee is Required**

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	Pending Claims after Amendment (1)	Claims Paid for Earlier (2)	Number of Additional Claims (1-2)	Cost per Additional Claim	Additional Fees Required
Total Claims	67	77	0	x \$26 =	0
Independent Claims	12	26	0	x \$110 =	0
One or More New Multiple Dependent Claims Presented? If Yes, Add \$195 Here →					0
Total Additional Claim Fees Required					0

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